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thereof, and who have a fixed residence in any such Territory, ought to participate in the formation of the constitution, or in the enactment of laws for said Territory or State.

8th. An enforcement of the principle that no State or Territory ought to admit others than citizens of the United States to the right of suffrage, or of holding political office.

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12th. The maintanence and enforcement of all laws constitutionally enacted, until said laws shall

laws constitutionally enacted, until said laws shall be repealed, or shall be declared null and void by competent judicial authority.

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18th. Opposition to the reckless and unwisc olicy of the present administration in the general anagement of our listicual affairs, and more escially as ablown in removing "Americans" (by esignation) and conservatives in principle, from five, and placing foreigners and ultraists in their acces; as shown in a truckling subserviency to a stronger, and an institute and cowardly bravatives to towards the wester powers; as shown in receiving sectional agitation, by the repeal of the issouri Compromise; as shown in granting to un-

naturalized foreigners the right of suffrage in Kan-sas and Nebraska; as shown in its vacillating course on the Kansas and Nebraska question; as shown in the corruptions which pervade some of the dein the corruptions which pervade some of the departments of the government; as shown in disgracing meritorious naval officers through prejudice or caprice; and as shown in the blundering mismanagement of our foreign relations.

14th. Therefore, to remedy existing evils, and prevent the disastrous consequences otherwise resulting therefrom, we would build up the "American party" upon the principles hereinbefore stated.

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Present—Messrs. Dove, Bayly, Evans, Tretler,
Pepper, Emery, Houston, Busey, Marks, Pearson,
and Smith.

Mr. Clarke, the President of the Board being

chair.

The Chair laid before the Board the report of the Intendant of the Asylum for the month of February; which was referred to the Committee on the Asylum.

The bill from the Board of Common Council

The bill from the Board of Common Council entitled "An act fixing the annual compensation of the Mayor of the city" was taken up, read twice, and ordered to lie on the table, and made the special order for Monday next.

The bill from the same Board entitled "An act for grading and gravelling Fourth street east, from Pennsylvania avenue to A street south," was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on Improvements.

Was carried in the affirmative, as follows, viz:
Yeas—Messra. Bayly, Evans, Tretler, Pepper,
Emery, Busey, Pearson, and Smith—8.
Nays—Messra. Dove, Houston, and Marks—3.
Mr. Busey, who voted in the affirmative, then
moved that the said vote be reconsidered, and
asked for the yeas and mays on the question; and
it being taken, it was decided in the affirmative, as
follows, viz:
Yeas—Massra. Dove. Bayly. Tester. Person

fellows, viz:
Yeas — Messrs. Dove, Bayly, Tretler, Pepper, Emery, Houston, Busey, and Marks—8.
Nays—Messrs. Evans, Pearson, and Smith—3.
The bill was then, on motion of Mr. Busey, referred to the Committee on Police.
The redultion from the Board of Common Courcil entitled "Joint resolution instructing the committee before Congress to ask an appropriation for the improvement of New York avenue," was taken

up, read three times, and passed.

The amendment of the Board of Common Coun cil the "Joint resolution in reference to limiter partnerships" was taken into consideration Mr. Pepper, on leave, submitted a "

in reference to a new county prison;" which hav-

ing been read twice-Mr. Busey moved to amend the same by insert-ing the words "without the limits of the city;" which was carried in the affirmative by year and

Yeas-Messrs. Dove, Bayly, Tretler, Houston, Busey, Marks, and Smith-7. Nays-Messrs. Evans, Pepper, Emery, and Pear-

Mr. Dove then moved that the resolution be laid on the table; which was negatived by the follow ing vote, viz : Yea-Mr. Dove.

Naya Messra. Bayly, Evans, Tretler, Peppe Emery, Houston, Busey, Marks, Pearson, at The resolution as amended was then read the third time and passed.

Mr. Smith, on leave, submitted a "Joint resolution instructing the committee before Congress to urge the erection by Congress of a house of refuge;" which having been twice read— Mr. Busey moved to smooth the

out all after the enacting clause, and inserting following, viz:

"That the committee representing the interests of this Corporation before Congress be instructed to ask of Congress the power to erect a house of refuge, and to enact laws for the government of the congress."

And the question being on the said amendment, it was carried in the affirmative. And the resolution as amended was then read the third time and

Mr. Pepper presented a petition from Frederick Koones for the remission of a fine; which was referred to the Committee of Claims.

Mr. Smith presented a petition from the President of the Perseverance Fire Company for additional hose; which was referred to the Committee

tional hose; which was referred to the Committee on the Fire Department.

Mr. Pepper, from the Committee on Improvements, reported back without amendment the resolution from the Board of Common Council entitled "Joint resolution Instructing the committee before Congress in reference to Delaware avenue;" and it was then read the third time and passed. Mr. Pepper, from the same committee, reported back withhout amendment the bill from the Board of Common Council entitled "An act for trimming and gravelling Twenty-first street west, between Pennsylvania avenue and F street north;" and it was then read the third time and passed.

And the Board adjourned. BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL.

BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL.

Monday, March 10, 1856.

All the members present.
On motion, the reading of the journal was dispensed with.

The President laid before the Board the report of the Intendant of the Washington Asylum for the month of February; which was referred to the Committee on the Asylum.

The amendment of the Board of Aldermen to the bill entitled "An act for setting the curbstones and for paving the footway in front of squares Nos. 534, 535, and 536," was taken up for consideration and concurred in.

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The joint resolution from the Board of Aldermen in reference to opening James's creek was taken up, read twice, and, on motion, laid over for further consideration.

The bill from the same Board making "an additional appropriation for the support of the Washington Asylum fer the year ending 30th June, 1856, and for other purposes," was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Washington Asylum.

The bill from the same Board for the relief of John Agnew was taken up, read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Fire Department.

The bill from the same Board entitled "An act authorizing the curbstone to be set and the footway paved in square No. 685," was taken up, read three times, and passed.

The bill from the same Board, which had been laid over for further consideration at the last meeting, for constructing an additional room in the City Half for the use of the Corporation, was next taken up for consideration.

Mr. Abert moved to refer the bill to the Committee on Improvements, with instructions to inquire into and report the cost of erecting the room with brick walk similar to the other rooms in the City Half; which was agreed to.

Mr. Ruff, from the Committee on Police, on leave, made a report non-concurring in the amendment of the Board of Aldermen to the bill entitled "An act supplementary to the act entitled "an act to regulate markets, approved May 24th, 1853;" which was agreed to, and the amendment was non-concurred in.

Mr. Bohlayer, on leave, presented the petition of

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Wm. Beach, asking for the remission of a fine;
which was referred to the Committee of Claims.